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Laurie, Sorry about your being in an awkward position. That should change, though not right away...read on. I called Eric and described that Gearheard is going to establish a meeting with Corps to discuss how we got where we are, what will it take to be able to go forward. That is a meeting I will likely not be invited to attend. The outcome of that meeting will determine next steps and trigger more of our involvement. We should discuss if this sequence is appropriate, because among other things, folks with a history on the TMDL are likely to participate in that initial meeting.

▼ Laurie Mann/R10/USEPA/US

**Laurie Mann/R10/USEPA/US**

06/07/2007 10:14 AM

To

David Croxton/R10/USEPA/US@EPA

cc

Subject

Columbia River re-start!

Dave,  
Looks like HQ managers are interested in the Columbia River TMDL re-start. I'm in the slightly awkward position of being the state lead yet knowing nothing - so here you go!  
thanks,  
Laurie

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06/07/2007 10:04 AM

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Subject

Fw: ACTION: Fw: Meeting with Dave Shepp Today

Hi Laurie - John asked me to get some prep/background info on the Columbia River TMDL "re-start-up." Can you help me? I need to put something together for Benita (my division director) by the 18th.

Thanks!  
Eric

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06/07/2007 12:46 PM

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Subject

ACTION: Fw: Meeting with Dave Shepp Today

Eric -- would you follow-up with someone in Region 10 to get some prep info on this topic in advance of the 18th?

Thanks,

John

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**Benita Best-Wong/DC/USEPA/US**

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Subject

Fw: Meeting with Dave Shepp Today

Do you know anything about the Columbia TMDL "re-start-up"?

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Subject

Meeting with Dave Shepp Today

Hi Mike,

Thanks for the voicemail message. Dave is looking forward to your email kicking off the process with Meeting #1. It looks like afternoons the week of June 18th will be best for he and I. I will find out if Benita Best-Wong is OK that week too for a 1-2 hour conference call on the Columbia TMDL "re-start-up".